

NEWARK POLICE DEPARTMENT Criminal Investigations Division PRESS RELEASE



September 22, 2008

Date/Time of Incident: 09/21/08 1:30am

Location(s): Haines Street/East Main Street, Newark, DE

Nature of Incident: Shooting

Victim(s): 21 year old male, New Castle, DE resident

Suspect: Asian male, 5'03-5'05", 20's, thin build, short black hair, wearing white shirt and blue jeans

Charges: Assault 2nd

Summary: On 09/21/08 at approximately 1:30am the Newark Police Department responded to the corner of Haines Street and E. Main Street for a shooting that had just occurred. The victim, a 21 year old male, was located approximately one block away suffering from a gunshot wound to his right buttock and right thigh. The victim was subsequently transported to the Christiana Hospital and was treated for non-life threatening injuries. Several witnesses reported seeing an altercation in the area where the victim was shot. The witnesses reported seeing an Asian male carrying a black handgun with a flashlight or scope mounted on top of the handgun. The suspect was last seen walking southbound on Haines Street towards East Delaware Avenue.

Anyone with information regarding this incident should contact Det. Fred Nelson of the Newark Police Department at (302)366-7110 ext 136 or Crime Stoppers at 1-800-TIP-3333.

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